

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Monday, December 14, 2020
9:00 AM PDT

- **Day 1 (Monday):** Gusty winds are expected across portions of central and southern CA today, bringing elevated fire weather concerns. High surf and king tides could create localized flooding along coastal areas through this evening.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

12/14/20 - 12/20/20

Monday-Tuesday

- Gusty winds up to 40-60 mph are expected across portions of central and southern CA through this evening
 - Elevated fire weather concerns persist with continued dry conditions and gusty winds
- High surf and king tides could create localized flooding along coastal areas through this evening.
- Another round of rain and high elevation snow is expected across NW CA for Tuesday

Wednesday - Sunday

- Elevated to locally critical fire weather concerns will still be possible across central and southern CA due to dry conditions and breezy winds
- Another storm will bring more widespread precipitation and another round of gusty winds to the northern half of the state Wednesday into Thursday.
- Additional precipitation is possible across northern California heading into the weekend.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

12/14/20 - 12/20/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Inland/ Southern						
Snow			Inland Mtns	Inland Mtns			
Coastal Flooding	Coastal/ Southern	Coastal/ Southern					
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)			WA/OR/CA				
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern	Southern
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



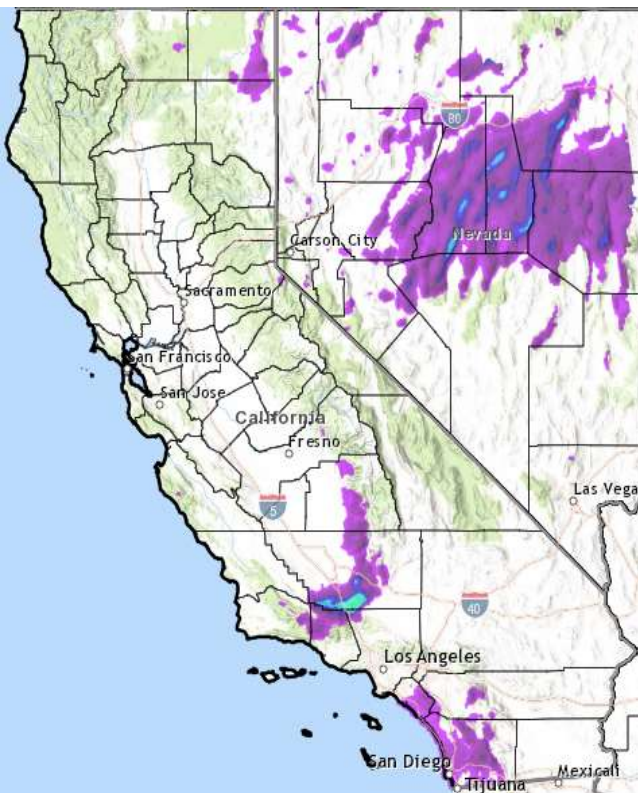
Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

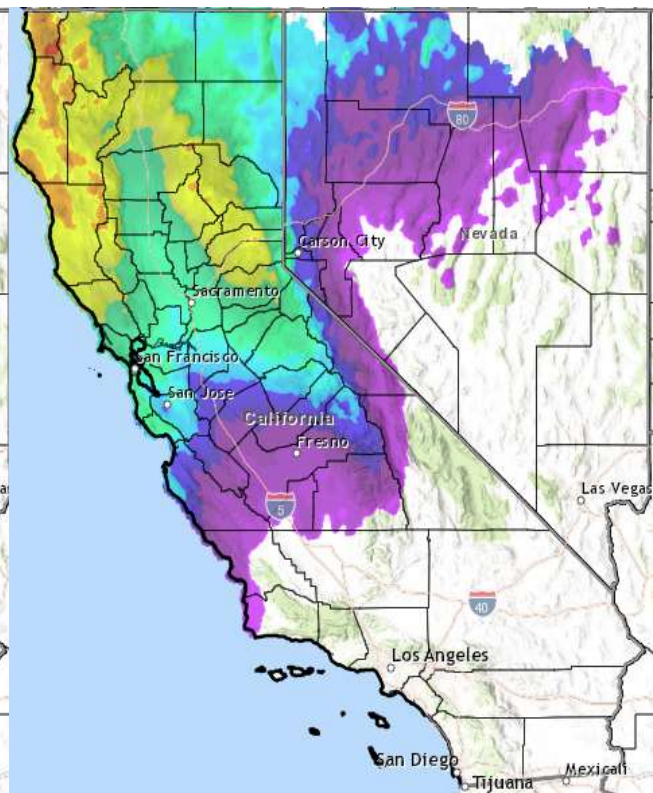
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Monday



Tuesday

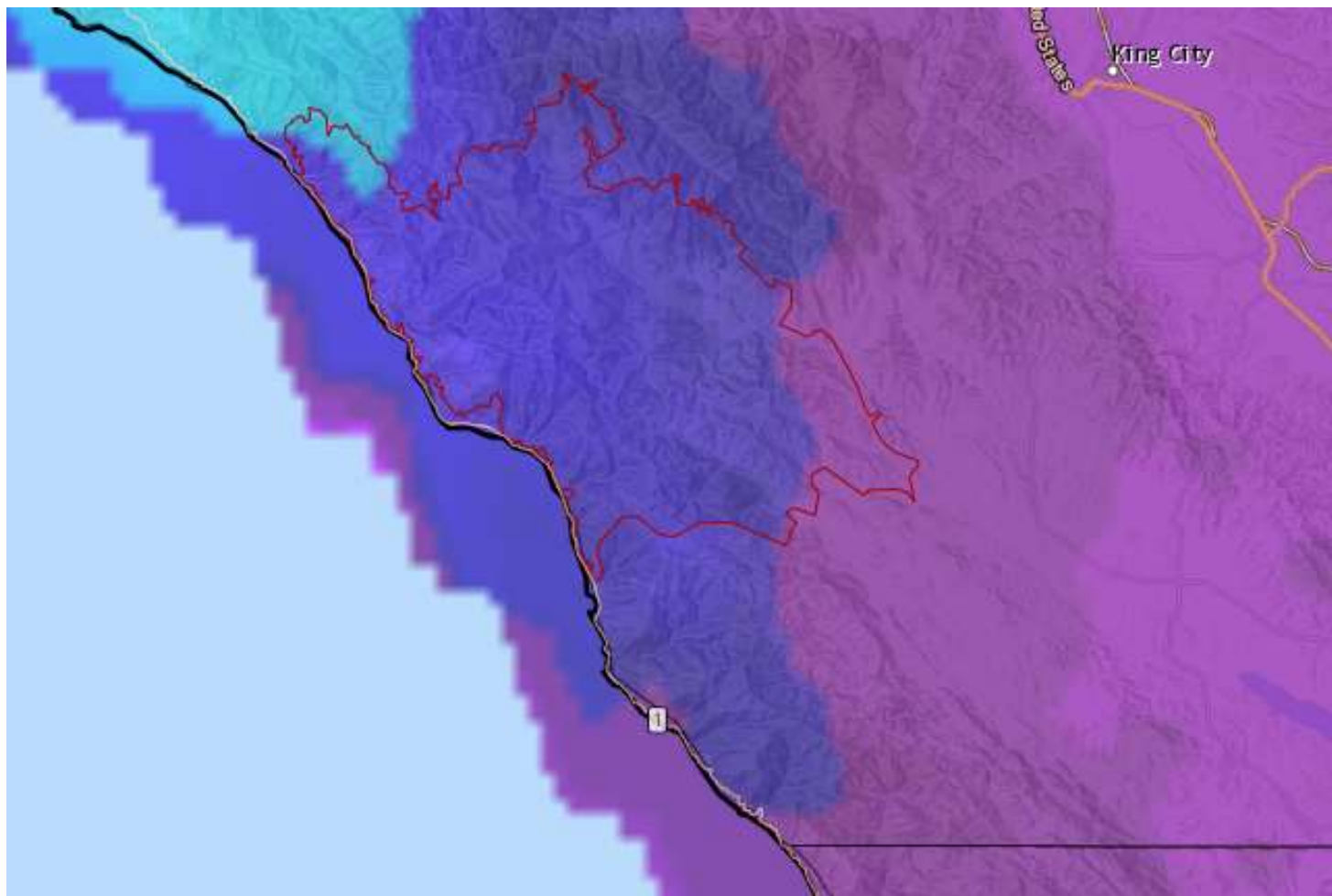


Wednesday

Precipitation (inches)



PRECIPITATION FORECAST – DOLAN BURN SCAR



Valid through 4AM Thursday
Total precipitation 0.1-0.25"

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

12/19/20 - 12/27/20

6-10 Day Outlook (December 19 – December 23)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures favored across central and northern CA. Near normal temperatures favored for southern CA.

Precipitation

- Near to below normal precipitation favored across central and southern CA. Above normal precipitation favored across northern CA.

8-14 Day Outlook (December 21 – December 27)

Temperatures

- Near normal temperatures favored across southern CA. Near to above normal temperatures favored across central and northern CA

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation favored statewide, except near normal precipitation favored across far northern CA



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